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Ms. Whitehair:

I am sending you this guidance as the Navajo Nation Incident Commander for the Gold King Mine response, and at the direction of EPA Area Command in Durango, based on their understanding of an agreement between the EPA Administrator and President Begaye. This guidance follows the approach taken in New Mexico. Please call me if I can help answer questions that arise as the Navajo Nation evaluates the use of the San Juan River for irrigation.

Sincerely,  
Bret Moxley  
Incident Commander for EPA Region 9, Gold King Mine Response.